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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Ex Parte Quayle Action dated July 21, 2010, rejecting claims 14 (in part) and 15-18, please amend the above-captioned U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.